Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, February 7-13 marks the celebration of Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) Week; and,

WHEREAS, It's purpose is to provide as an integral part of the instructional program, additional opportunities for secondary students (grades 7-12) in Business and Office education to develop vocational and career supportive competencies, and to promote civic and personal responsibilities; and

WHEREAS, This youth organization will develop competent, aggressive business leadership; and,

WHEREAS, The sixteen chapters in South Dakota will create more interest in and develop the understanding of the American Business Enterprise; and,

WHEREAS, FBLA will encourage members in the development of individual projects which contribute to the improvement of home, business, and community; and

WHEREAS, This national organization will assist students in the establishment of occupational goals; and

WHEREAS; The overall goal of FBLA is to facilitate the transition from school to work:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 7 through 13, 1988, as

NATIONAL FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA WEEK

in South Dakota, and call upon the people of South Dakota to recognize the Future Business Leaders of America for its many accomplishments during its celebration.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-Fifth Day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight.

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE